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Sir:

STATUS REQUEST

Applicants respectfully request formal notification of the status of this application. The last formal correspondence between the Applicant and the Office was a Preliminary Amendment filed December 22, 2004. Applicant has not received any further correspondence in this application.

On July 20, 2004, a Petition to Make Special was granted, however the PAIR system indicates that the application has not yet been assigned to an Examiner. Repeated telephone calls, such as one placed on November 16, 2005, to Mr. Stan Silverman, SPE of art group 1754, have not been returned.

The present application has been pending for approximately two and one-half years. If the Office requires anything further from the Applicant in this regard, Applicant will handle any such

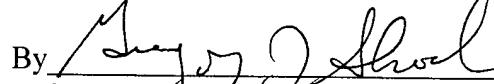
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request with the utmost dispatch to assist in a speedy and favorable resolution of the present application.

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